

THE GAZETTE.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 26.
THE NATIONAL CONVENTION

June 19, 1888.

To the Republican Electors of the United States: In accordance with the instructions of the national convention of 1884, a national convention of delegates representing the Republican party will be held at the city of Chicago, Ill., on Tuesday, the 19th day of June, 1888, at 11 o'clock, noon, for the purpose of nominating a candidate for President and Vice President to be supported at the next national election, and for the transaction of such other business as may be presented.

Republican electors in the several states, and voters without regard to party political affiliation, difference of sect, who believe in the American principle of a protective tariff for the defense and development of home industry and the elevation of home labor, who would reduce the national taxes and prevent the accumulation of the surplus in the treasury in harmony with this principle, who are opposed to the attempt now more openly avowed than ever before to establish a policy which would strike down American labor to the level of the underpaid and oppressed workers of foreign lands; who favor a system of naval and coast defenses which will enable the United States to conduct its international negotiations with self-respect; who gratefully cherish the defense of the country; who condemn and resent the corrupt and unjust exclusion of rapidly growing territory, which have an indubitable title to admission into the sisterhood of states; who are in favor of free schools and popular education, a free and honest ballot and a fair count, the protection of every citizen of the United States in his legal rights at home and abroad, a foreign policy that shall extend our trade and commerce to every land and clime, and shall properly support the dignity of the nation and the promotion of friendly and harmonious relations and international peace, are cordially invited to unite under this call in the formation of a national ticket.

Each state will be entitled to four delegates in large, and for each representative at large, one delegate, and each congressional district shall elect one delegate, and the District of Columbia two delegates.

The delegates-at-large shall be chosen by popular state conventions, called in not less than twenty days' published notice and not later than thirty days before the meeting of the national convention. The congressional district delegates shall be chosen in the same manner as the nomination of a member of congress made in said districts. The territorial delegates shall be chosen in the same manner as the members of congress in the territories. The delegates from the District of Columbia shall be chosen at a convention constituted of members elected in the primary district assemblies held under the call and direction of the republican central committee of said district, and the delegates from each territory in the national convention to be in case of the absence of the delegate, shall be elected in the same manner and at the same time as the delegate is elected.

All notices of contents must be filed with the national committee in writing, accompanied by printed statements of the grounds of contents which shall be made public. Preference in the order of hearing and determining contents will be given by the convention in accordance with the dates of filing of such notices and statements with the national committee.

H. F. Jones, Chairman.
SAMUEL FREDERICK, Secretary.
Washington, Dec. 9, 1887.

AMERICAN AND FOREIGN WAGES.

A few days ago a workman in Rhode Island asked the editor of the New York Press, the difference between the wages here and in the countries of Europe. The Press answered by producing a table of much interest to all persons who care to give the question of labor any study. The table shows the weekly rate of wages paid in the woolen factories of Massachusetts, which is the same, or nearly so, in other states, and also in France (Rhône district), and Germany (Rheinish district). It is impossible to doubt the accuracy of this table, as Carroll D. Wright is responsible for the United States figures, ex-Congressman Friebe for those of France, Robert Griffin for the English and ex-Congressman DuBois for those of Germany.

Occupation. United States. France. Germany.

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Greatest attractions at Arabia Reid's, Saturday, January 28.

You cannot afford to miss our great coat sale.

Call on us for hosiery and underwear Saturday, Jan. 28.

J. M. Bostwick & Sons' coat sale is a bonanza for bargain seekers.

Attend our special hosiery and underwear sale, Saturday, January 28.

A very choice little farm of ten acres adjoining the city limits, was bought by its present owner, two years ago for \$2,100.

There is a good house, barn and tobacco shed, an orchard of 50 trees and small fruit.

The owner has decided to permanently locate in another state, and to effect an immediate sale for that purpose, will sacrifice \$400 of its cost and actual value.

\$1,650 of the purchase money can remain on mortgage at 6 per cent. This is a better bargain than gold dollars at 80 cents.

C. E. BOWLES.

Fuel Cheap.

Away down for cash only. Hard coal, ton, No. 4, stove egg and grate in ton lots or over.

SOFT COAL

Brier Hill..... 6.00

Cannel coal..... \$5.50

Knocking..... 5.00

Brazil Block..... 4.50

Mt. Olive..... 4.00

Wood.

Best dry hard maple, sawed ends 4 feet long per cord..... \$6.00

Best dry second growth oak..... 4.50

Dry Poplar..... 3.00

Call early and take advantage of low prices.

J. H. GATLEY.

Our immense stock at an opportunity of a lifetime.

J. M. BOSTWICK & SONS.

Just think of selling goods five years after they should be worn out, but that is what some merchants liberally advertise to do.

When we quote bargains we mean real and desirable goods at present values and under. Not a cut on prices made years ago.

ARCHIE REID.

WANTED—By a willing young man attending our school, place to work out of school hours and Saturdays for his board.

VALENTINE BEES.

Turkish baths! Only reliable know specific in rheumatism.

A few more diaries. Prices reduced at Sutherland's bookstore.

House that cost \$2,000 with barn, two cisterns, all on two full lots and centrally located, for \$1,000.

C. E. BOWLES.

Still 15 tickets at Dannison's.

It is now generally understood the Brown Bros are the bargain shoe dealers.

They call attention to every careful buyer to a ladies' fine line over-shoe at 50 cents. Splendid wear. Also, a man's top sole oil grain shoe, fully warranted, at \$2.50.

You can save money by trading at a cash store.

Grand clearing out sale every day for the next two weeks to reduce stock before our annual inventory.

BORN, BAILLY & CO.

THIRTY DAYS—A reduction in price of 20 per cent, will be made on boots and shoes the stock I have just purchased of L. L. Clark.

Come and get a dollar's worth for eighty cents.

J. B. MINOR.

Both old and new hardware and the common and Russia store pipe, always on hand and cheap as the cheapest at Sanborn's store and furniture store.

44 acre farm, with good, new house and near the city, must be sold soon at the best price obtainable.

O. E. BOWLES.

FOUND FROZEN—Your foot will never be found frozen if you will try the Doose lined rubber sold by Brown Bros. Price only 50 cents.

\$100,000 to loan at 6 per cent, with slight advance in rate if loaned in small sums.

I have the best facilities for placing loans of any amount. Renew your mortgage with me at a lower rate, and save a portion of the interest you are now paying. Call early.

O. E. BOWLES.

GREAT BARGAINS—Brown Brothers will sell further notice, Men's genuine oil grain lace shoes, with top sole and solid leather, for the extremely low price of \$2.50, just what you are paying for a shoddy shoe. Ask to see them.

Splendid frames made to order at Sutherland's bookstore.

A new supply of blank books at Sutherland's bookstore.

All the valuable new books at Sutherland's bookstore.

Don't you, for your own benefit, buy another article of foot wear until you look over Brown Bros. stock and prices that will astonish you.

We will sell you all you want of those fine grade 10 oz cotton baton at 9 cents per yard 12 1/2.

BORN, BAILLY & CO.

Turkish baths! Incomparable for the complexion.

The Coat Price King.

We are in first class condition and will sell our low for cash as John L. Sullivan or any other man can knock it. Come and see us.

Flourmiller & McGuire.

For Rent—A store 103 West Milwaukee street. Mitchell Block. Apply to C. E. Mitchell.

Grapes at Dannison's.

ALWAYS BEHIND—Many men always behind; they don't make the discovery that Brown Bros. are selling just the goods an article for a dollar as they had paid \$1.50 or \$1.80 for until after they had already bought. Don't be fooled by any dealer telling you what the dollar article is. Take a look yourself or ask the trade how they wear.

Gray mixed Tricot 54 inches wide at 37 cents per yard at our clearing up sale for the next two weeks.

BORN, BAILLY & CO.

Some very nice eating pears at Dannison's.

DECEASED.

—Mr. Fred H. Fellows started for St. Paul last evening to attend the ice carnival.

—Mrs. A. P. Pritchard has returned home from a visit at Kansas City, Missouri.

—Refreshments for the Knights of Pythias party to-morrow evening will be served by Gollig.

—Mr. and Mrs. Frank McLean of Chicago, are in the city guests of Miss M. E. Gould, of the third ward.

—Mr. George Schaefer and Miss Sarah Gray were married by the Rev. Thomas Walker Tuesday evening.

—Jesseville Commandery No. 2, Knights Templar, assemble in regular monthly convocations this evening at Masonic hall.

—The Exchange hotel, in the village of Oregon, Dane county, was destroyed by fire yesterday morning. Loss \$2,000; insurance \$2,000.

—Supt. Geo. C. McLean, of the New McLean Manufacturing Co., is slowly recovering from his recent severe illness, and will be able to be out again in a few days.

—The iron and other material for the water works stand-pipe is being removed from the freight depot to the corner of Caroline and Walker streets, the location of the stand-pipe.

—The regular meeting of the Young Ladies' Missionary Society of the Presbyterian church will be held Friday evening at the home of Miss Maggie Mount.

—Sleighs will leave Mrs. Agnes Clark's, 102 West Bluff street, at 6 p. m.

—A typographical error yesterday made us speak of J. M. Bostwick & Sons as a firm that was "doing a very extensive business in the use of printers' ink."

The closing sentence should have read "and believe in the use of printers' ink."

—Art, fun, humor, anecdotes and instruction are all combined in Frank Beard's entertainment. There will be no dull place in it. To praise it is superfluous, as Saturday evening will prove.

Go, and hear and see him in Lappin's hall, January 28th.

—Mrs. Eliza Poorman, wife of Rev. F. Poorman, and daughter Ivy, who have been visiting Mrs. Poorman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Merry, No. 211 South Academy street, for a few weeks, returned to their home at Newman, Douglas county, Ill., on the early morning train.

—In this morning's Milwaukee Sentinel is an account of the wedding of Mr. Fred D. Arnold to Miss Emily M. Van Dusen, of Portage. The parties are relatives of Mrs. M. S. Pritchard, of this city and will spend a few days in Janesville while on their way from Milwaukee to St. Paul.

—Little knots of people here and there are beginning to talk spring politics—the candidates for aldermen coming to the front. There will be a very fair crop of candidates notwithstanding the cold winter. Many little side issues will be thrown into the election, and it is a little too early to now indicate the result.

—Mr. and Mrs. Henry M. Hart and family feel very thankful to all of their friends in Janesville, for their kind expressions of affection and respect for their father, Mr. Andrew T. Hart, and for all of their ministrations of kindness and their sympathy in this time of very great sorrow caused by the death of their dear father.

—St. Agnes Guild of Trinity parish are preparing for a dokey social, to be held at the residence of Hon. and Mrs. Phylis Norcross, on Thursday evening of this week. It is something entirely new and everybody must come. A delicious supper will be served by the fair maidens from 6 to 8 o'clock. If you want to see what kind of an artist you will make, come.

—On Saturday night next, Kate O'Brien reappears in Chicago, at the Chicago opera house, in that popular, farcical piece "Crazy Patch." Miss O'Brien, throughout the country, is now regarded as prominent among comedians, not even excepting Letta. Miss O'Brien has the advantage of youth, beauty, and vivacity, and a French chic about her acting that has won her the title of American Juliet. Crazy Patch is brim full of most comical situations, and the most charming selections of music, and is acted by a company picked from among the comedians and comedienne of the country.

—In order to meet the demands of railroad employees, and others employed about machinery, or when their watches are liable to be affected by magnetism, A. F. Hall & Co. besides carrying a stock of anti-magnetic cases for ordinary movements, also have the new non-magnetic Waltham movements, which are unaffected by magnetism in any kind of a case. They are also agents for the Geneva non-magnetic watch that is being so extensively advertised all over the country. With the variety to choose from and all at moderate prices, we see no reason why any one who requires it should not have perfect time.

—The Ladies' Aid Society of the Presbyterian church will give a tea at 3 o'clock Friday afternoon, Jan. 27th, at the residence of the pastor, 177 Madison street. All the members of this society are desired to attend without further notice, as special invitations will only be sent to those not connected with the society. The members and invited ladies are requested to come promptly at three o'clock, and their husbands are all invited and expected to the tea at five o'clock and after.

There will be no charge or collection of any kind. The object of this gathering is to receive reports of the society's work during the past, and to enjoy a social gathering as christian workers.

—At Madison the other day a handsome dressed young woman entered a crowded street car. A long whiskered old fellow, wearing a dinky slouch hat and a suit of homespun clothes, got up and said: "Miss, take my seat, I don't look as well as these here gentlemen," nodding at several men, "but I've discovered that I've got more politeness." The young woman sat down without thanking the old fellow. "Miss," said the old fellow with a smile, "I've left my pocket-book that on that seat. Will you please get up?" The young

CAUGHT ON THE FLY.

Stray Leaves From a Reporter's Note Book.

Janesville with its crowded boulevards and metropolitan ways is a delectable place for a reporter to visit. This was shown by the curious mistake made by a young lady from the State Line City one last week. She was spending a few days with friends on the west side and when shown the city street cars displayed much levity.

"One thing certain," she remarked, "there is no fear of mixing them up with anything else on earth—nothing else I know of looks enough like them."

About an hour later the Bolit young lady stood in front of the postoffice waiting for one of the much-maligned cars to take her toward the fourth ward. What she supposed was the long-looked-for car finally came in sight.

"Seems to me those things look familiar every time I see them," she soliloquized. "This one appears to have the driver's coupé up inside. Hi there!" and she swung her muff in the grand hail sign of distress.

"The car" stopped, and the door was thrown open; but as the young lady prepared to enter she was met with the startling query:

"Did you want some milk, ma'am?"

The representative of Bolit culture retired to an out of the way spot to rub snow on her throbbing forehead. She had mistaken a milk wagon for a street car.

But all the mistakes in the world don't come from Bolit. An east sider who talks a good deal about his remarkable ear for music, went into Stearns & Barker's the other day, where a music box on the counter was in full blast.

The box had been set so that when it was playing "Dreams I Had From Lohengrin," or some such tune as that, the pointer indicated a melody from "Fanny." The musical man didn't know this, and as he glanced at the dial he began to wax eloquent.

"Ah," said he, "there is certainly some very inspiring music in that 'Fanny.' Now the strain you just heard—how well I remember the scene where it comes in, it is one of the grandest things I ever ran across."

After about five minutes more of this sort of thing the crowd couldn't stand it any longer and set up a howl that peeled off two breadths of wall-paper. The east sider musical critic didn't detect the joke until two days later, but when he did he swore to have revenge if it took all winter.

HOW IT HAPPENED.

Some of the Reasons Why Cholly Missed His Train.

There is a young man now on the west side who makes frequent trips to Chicago. Very often he fails to come back when expected, but his excuses at the store the next morning are so entertaining and instructive that he is usually forgiven.

Last week he went to see Henry Irving and Ellen Terry, and instead of coming back Tuesday morning as he promised, he failed to put in an appearance until late last night. When he reached the store this morning his twenty-two-cent explanation was all ready for use. But the head of the firm got ahead of him.

"Don't trouble yourself," said the old gentleman calmly. "I've been sort of keeping track of this business for a few months past and I believe I can save you a good deal of trouble. Just check off the item that fits your case. One the same each every time and you won't be so liable to repeat yourself."

The card proffered was as follows: "I missed my train."

Wasn't right.

Was out on the south side and the cable broke.

Had blown off into the river.

Was taken suddenly ill.

Met an old school-mate from New England.

My watch went back on me.

My aunt was sick.

Train went out ahead of time.

Roads all snow bound.

Was snatched away by a highwayman.

Sprained my ankle trying to straddle a blind.

The train leaving Janesville at 12:00 p. m. makes direct connections at De Kalb with the Northwestern main line train running through to Council Bluffs without change, and making direct connections there for all points west and southwest.

Full information can be obtained by applying to C. A. Potter, agent, Janesville.

A prudent man, according to Hoyle, "For cut and burn and burn and boil will win at once Salvo Oil."

"Never was heard such a terrible curse as the 'salvo' got off about the stubborn cold. Could it be possible that he had in civilization and had not heard of Dr. Bell's Cough Syrup? Let him take the old reliable and stop swearing. Price 25 cents."

THE WEATHER.

At seven o'clock this morning the thermometer indicated 1 degree below zero. Partly cloudy with north wind.

At one o'clock p. m. the register was 20 degrees above zero. Cloudy with southwest wind. Far the corresponding hours one year ago the register was 8 degrees below and 25 degrees above zero.

The Last Canoe.

The Chicago & Northwestern Ry. Co. will sell round trip tickets to California points at the old cheap rate, for excursion leaving Omaha, Thursday, Feb. 16th, or Kansas City Friday, Feb. 17th. This is the last chance for reduced rate tickets. Regular excursion tickets are now sold daily. For particulars apply to agent O. N. W. Ry. Co.

FARMERS' STATE CONVENTION.

To Agents in Wisconsin.

For the above gathering to be held at Madison, February 25th to 30th, excursion tickets may be sold at fare one way for the round trip.

Sell February 25th to 29th inclusive, and train arriving in Madison on morning of February 30th.

Make return coupons good until Feb. 15th.

Please furnish information to newspapers in your vicinity as an item of news.

A. W. CARPENTERS.

General Pass and Ticket Agent.

All wool Homespun at 30 cents a yard at our clearing up sale for the next two weeks.

BORN, BAILLY & CO.

A VALUABLE REPORT.

Many of the points in Secretary Alex. Galbraith's annual report to the Caledonian Society, deserve more space than it was possible to give them last evening.

At the request of a large number who are interested, we therefore publish it in full. It was as follows:

Mr. President, Ladies and Gentlemen:

After the delightful music to which we have just listened, and the thrilling eloquence of the previous speakers, I feel that the few simple matter of fact remarks which I have to make will fall flat on the ears of this vast assembly.

The Rock County Caledonian Society, as you are probably all aware, is still in its infancy, having been organized scarcely two years ago, and already contains a membership of seventy-five. It was organized for the purpose of celebrating the anniversary of Robert Burns, of encouraging a more thorough acquaintance with his works and that of other Scotch authors, to look after and aid any worthy Scotchman who has unfortunately fallen into poverty and want, and to promote a friendly and fraternal feeling among our countrymen.

Some of these purposes have already been admirably served. We have had several most enjoyable gatherings and picnics, by means of which our people have doubtless become better acquainted. We have extended a helping hand recently to a sick and poverty stricken brother, and we are all here to-night to celebrate in joyful manner the birthday of Scotland's darling poet.

As our society grows older and more powerful, and let us hope also stronger, I am sure that in the future we will accomplish still greater things. We would like to see the membership increased very considerably, and in the centre of a colony of Scotchmen such as we have in Rock county, I see no reason why we should not have any difficulty in doing so.

Let us, therefore, try to get a list of fifty or fifty names to the roll during the present year. With such an acquisition of strength we should be able to secure a comfortable and permanent room suitable for holding our business and social meetings, and also acquire a library containing at least the standard works of the most eminent Scotch authors. We should also encourage the cultivation of genuine Scotch music, so that although we may never have the night of vocal perfection illustrated by Robert Burns, we may in a quiet way when called upon be able to sing a song at least.

By and by we may attain the length of having in connection with our society a literary and debating club, but I would not recommend that we should at present attempt to do so. The first and most important thing to be done is the formation of an athletic club, and the holding once or twice a year of regular Scotch games. How few of the present generation, around here for instance, know how to toss the caber or throw the hammer, while the "putting" stone and "step step and jump" are altogether foreign to them. Fellow Scotchmen, we make a great mistake in regarding these grand old athletic exercises as a thing of the past. Our Scotch ancestors can only be preserved by a system combining temperate living with active physical employment or out door exercises, and there is no better way for youths of a sedentary occupation to keep their bodies in good condition than participating in the exercises of a good athletic club. Another suggestion I would make before sitting down, and that is the formation of a Curling Club. The "roaring game," as it is called, is perhaps the most thoroughly Scotch of all out door sports, and when the weather permits is one of the most health-giving and exhilarating. I should like to see a Rock county club formed of no distant day, when after some tentative practice we may be able to send a well equipped team to do battle against the Philistines at Milwaukee, and elsewhere. I commend this suggestion specially to older members of the society who ought to take the initiative in this matter. I thank you, ladies and gentlemen, for your kind indulgence.

W. L. DOUGLAS.

The London Boot and Shoe Trades Journal contains the following in its issue of December 24:

"A novelty in advertising appears in the pages of the Boston Boot and Shoe Recorder. A full page is occupied with the portrait of Mr. W. L. Douglas, of Brockton, Mass., and the names of the five specialties that he manufactures. Mr. Douglas is famous in the States, on account of the best quality of his goods, because he has dared to introduce the lasting-machine into his factory. His portrait gives the idea of a dour, energetic, far-seeing man of about forty years of age.

He is known to readers of the American trade papers, and by no means the least thing to be proud of, that he has thoroughly learned everything connected with his trade, and has earned his living at every branch thereof."

BROOKDALE.

—Mr. John Young is very ill.

—Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Bowe, gave a dinner party to several of their friends last Wednesday.

—Miss Lydia Hyatt has been quite ill with congestion of the lungs the past week.

—A sleigh load of young people rode out to Mr. Jas. Kirkpatrick on Tuesday evening.

—Rev. Mr. Prescott, of Juda, preached in the Baptist church here last Sunday evening and is holding services there through the week, assisted by Dr. Zulson.

—Miss Sarah Clinton left last week for Chicago, where she will give a lecture, studying the remainder of the winter.

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